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From: Civins, Jeff [Jeff.Civins@haynesboone.com]

Sent: Tuesday, March 19, 2013 5:11 PM

To: Bull, Jonathan

Subject: RE: Urgent--Clean Harbors El Dorado March 13, 2013 Unacceptability Notification

Will do. Again, much appreciated—by all.

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From: Bull, Jonathan [mailto:Bull.Jonathan@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, March 19, 2013 5:09 PM

To: Civins, Jeff

Subject: RE: Urgent--Clean Harbors El Dorado March 13, 2013 Unacceptability Notification

It's no problem Jeff. I don't think that will be an issue again but if something comes up please call me.

From: Civins, Jeff [mailto:Jeff.Civins@haynesboone.com]

Sent: Tuesday, March 19, 2013 4:59 PM

To: Bull, Jonathan

Subject: RE: Urgent--Clean Harbors El Dorado March 13, 2013 Unacceptability Notification

Great. Thanks so much!

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From: Bull, Jonathan [mailto:Bull.Jonathan@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, March 19, 2013 4:58 PM

To: Civins, Jeff

Subject: RE: Urgent--Clean Harbors El Dorado March 13, 2013 Unacceptability Notification

Jeff,

I have checked and the two we have already addressed are the only instances, so this should not be an issue.

Jon

From: Civins, Jeff [mailto:Jeff.Civins@haynesboone.com]

Sent: Tuesday, March 19, 2013 4:52 PM

To: Bull, Jonathan

Subject: RE: Urgent--Clean Harbors El Dorado March 13, 2013 Unacceptability Notification

Hi, Jon,

In a call with the company the other day, the issue came up as to whether there may have been unacceptability notifications made to regions other than Region 2 and Region 3. The reason we knew about the notifications to those 2 regions was because we were contacted by folks on the ground and told an issue existed. Would it be possible to check and see if other notifications may have gone out of which we're unaware? Thanks!

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From: Civins, Jeff

Sent: Thursday, March 14, 2013 9:20 AM

To: 'Bull, Jonathan'

Subject: RE: Urgent--Clean Harbors El Dorado March 13, 2013 Unacceptability Notification

Thanks, Jon. Just got word from Clean Harbors that they're back on track to receive the wastes. Again, the company is very appreciative of your efforts. It will be good to focus on the outstanding issues.

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From: Bull, Jonathan [mailto:Bull.Jonathan@epa.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, March 13, 2013 6:29 PM

To: Civins, Jeff

Subject: RE: Urgent--Clean Harbors El Dorado March 13, 2013 Unacceptability Notification

No problem Jeff. It shouldn't have happened again. This should fix the issue and we can focus on the rest.

From: Civins, Jeff [mailto:Jeff.Civins@haynesboone.com]

Sent: Wednesday, March 13, 2013 6:00 PM

To: Bull, Jonathan

Cc: Barra, Michael; Murray, Suzanne; Tidmore, Guy; King, Roxanne

Subject: RE: Urgent--Clean Harbors El Dorado March 13, 2013 Unacceptability Notification

Jon,

Many thanks for your prompt follow-up. Thanks also to Ron for following up with Gary. On landing, I had listened to your voice mail and immediately called asked Phil Retallick of Clean Harbors to let them know. The company is very appreciative of your efforts on its behalf. Phil will follow up to get the shipment of waste back on track. I asked Phil to let me know if there were any further concerns.

As we've discussed, Clean Harbors looks forward to working with the Region to resolve our outstanding issues.

Thanks again for again helping us.

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Sent: Wednesday, March 13, 2013 4:58 PM

To: Civins, Jeff

Cc: Barra, Michael; Murray, Suzanne; Tidmore, Guy; King, Roxanne

Subject: RE: Urgent--Clean Harbors El Dorado March 13, 2013 Unacceptability Notification

Jeff

Thanks for your call today. I left you a voice mail on your cell phone a few minutes ago. Ron Shannon spoke again this afternoon with Gary Morton and explained that the facility's status is acceptable to receive waste under section 300.440 and that the status has not changed.

I believe this should resolve this issue now and going forward.

Jon Bull

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From: Civins, Jeff [mailto:Jeff.Civins@haynesboone.com]

Sent: Wednesday, March 13, 2013 2:22 PM

To: Barra, Michael; Bull, Jonathan

Cc: 'Donahue, Timmery A'; RETALLICK, PHILLIP G; McKinney, Carie G.; Murray, Suzanne **Subject:** Urgent--Clean Harbors El Dorado March 13, 2013 Unacceptability Notification

Jon and Mike,

This email is about a highly disturbing incident on which we'd appreciate your assistance, because it relates to an issue we'd understood had been addressed and put to bed. The matter involves the issue of whether the Clean Harbors El Dorado facility (CHEL) is unacceptable to receive offsite CERCLA wastes under 40 CFR 300.440.

Back in January and February, we discussed the fact no such determination had been made and that the Region had erroneously notified EPA Region 2 that CHEL was the subject of an unacceptability determination. With your assistance, that error was corrected by the Region's sending of a February 4 email to EPA Region 2 acknowledging that no such determination had been made. See February 4 email immediately below. In subsequent communications, we were assured that no such determination would be made without following appropriate procedures, including notice to CHEL, and that there was no plan to invoke those procedures at this time.

I just learned, however, contrary to our understanding, that the same individual who originally had informed EPA Region 2 that CHEL was unacceptable has just now given a similar notice to EPA Region 3, regarding the ability of CHEL to receive CERCLA wastes from the Galaxy Spectron Site. The pertinent email correspondence, which I received from inhouse counsel at Clean Harbors today, is copied below my signature line.

Gary Morton, a representative of EPA Region 3, reports--in an email dated today--that: "I Spoke with Wilkin Shannon of EPA Region 6 in Dallas Texas. Clean Harbors El Dorado Incineration Facility; El Dorado, Arkansas is not acceptable to receive waste. Please do not send waste to the facility." As a result, alternative plans for disposal of that material are being considered.

As we previously discussed, the financial impact of a nonacceptability determination on CHEL would be substantial. Based on our prior communications, we understood no such determination had been made, was being made, or, without following appropriate procedures, would be made. Clean Harbors is rightfully concerned that either our prior understanding has not been communicated to Region staff or that that understanding is being ignored. In either case, we again would appreciate your assistance—this time in having the Region notify EPA Region 3, as it did Region 2, that there is no basis for an unacceptability determination and in assuring us that no such determinations will be sent out in the future unless pertinent procedures have been followed and the regulatorily-required showing made.

I look forward to hearing back from you. This matter, as you can appreciate, is of some urgency. Thanks again to you both.

Jeff

----Forwarded by Jonathan Bull/R6/USEPA/US on 02/04/2013 01:49PM -----

To: Beckett Grealish/R2/USEPA/US@EPA

From: Guy Tidmore/R6/USEPA/US

Date: 02/04/2013 01:01PM

Cc: Jonathan Bull/R6/USEPA/US@EPA, Roxanne King/R6/USEPA/US@EPA

Subject: Off-site determination

Beckett,

The purpose of this email is to clarify previous communications between yourself and our Regional Off-site Coordinator, Ron Shannon. At this point in time, there has not been a final determination on the unacceptability of Clean Harbors in El Dorado, Arkansas (CHED), in accordance with Title 40, Part 300.440, therefore, CHED would at this time be deemed acceptable for the receipt of off-site waste. We are currently evaluating violations discovered at CHED and their relation to receiving units, and evaluating the facility's ability to return those units to compliance. If the facility status changes, we will notify you utilizing the standard operating protocols.

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From: Donahue, Timmery A [mailto:donahue.timmery@cleanharbors.com]

Sent: Wednesday, March 13, 2013 1:28 PM

To: Civins, Jeff

Cc: RETALLICK, PHILLIP G

Subject: FW: Fwd: facility approval

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From: Jonathan Black [mailto:jonathan.black@lawyer.com]

Sent: Wednesday, March 13, 2013 11:45 AM

To: Donahue, Timmery A

Subject: Fw: Fwd: facility approval

Hi Timmery......the Galaxy Spectron Site consultant is looking for an alternate CH facility for lab pack waste as El Dorado not approved by EPA....see below....I don't recognize any CH names on the email chain, but you might. Please let me know who will follow up with O'Brien and Gere on this change.

Thanks.

---- Original Message ----From: David Fennimore Sent: 03/13/13 11:22 AM To: Jonathan Black

Subject: Fwd: facility approval

Fyi

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Jennifer DiJoseph < idijoseph@advancedgeoservices.com >

Date: March 13, 2013 11:05:40 AM EDT

To: "dfennimore@earthdatane.com" <dfennimore@earthdatane.com>

Subject: FW: facility approval

Dave - Please see below. EPA says that we cannot send the non-petroleum liquids to Clean Harbors in El Dorado, Arkansas. We'll need the name of an alternate Clean Harbors facility, or we can use the facility that OBG/Lewis originally proposed in their bid.

Thanks Jen

From: Paul Mazurkiewicz [mailto:Paul.Mazurkiewicz@obg.com]

Sent: Wednesday, March 13, 2013 10:49 AM

To: Jennifer DiJoseph Cc: Joe Barker; Ken Jones Subject: FW: facility approval

jen:

please see email from epa regarding proposed clean harbors facility for disposal/incineration of non-petro wastes. I have contacted Lewis to get name of the facility they proposed for the work on this project. If you have any other clean harbors facilities which can accept the waste, please forward that information & I will request review/approval from epa for the facility(s).

From: Morton, Gary [mailto:Morton.Gary@epa.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, March 13, 2013 10:41 AM

To: Paul Mazurkiewicz

Subject: RE: facility approval

I Spoke with Wilkin Shannon of EPA Region 6 in Dallas Texas. Clean Harbors El Dorado Incineration Facility; El Dorado, Arkansas is not acceptable to receive waste. Please do not send waste to the facility.

From: Paul Mazurkiewicz [maii.o:Paul.Mazurkiewicz@obg.com]

Sent: Monday, March 04, 2013 10:15 AM

To: Morton, Gary

Subject: Re: facility approval

Thanks

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 4, 2013, at 10:05 AM, "Morton, Gary" < Morton.Gary@epa.gov < mailto:Morton.Gary@epa.gov >> wrote: I requested the acceptability of the facility again today.

From: Morton, Gary

Sent: Monday, March 04, 2013 10:03 AM

To: Wilkin, Andrew
Cc: 'Paul Mazurkiewicz '
Subject: FW: facility approval

Good Morning Wilkin,

Maybe this request slipped through the cracks. I am under the gun on this request, I need a response as soon as possible.

Thank You

Gary Morton

On Feb 20, 2013, at 11:16 AM,
"Morton.Gary@epamail.epa.gov<mailto:Morton.Gary@epamail.epa.gov>"
< Morton.Gary@epamail.epa.gov<mailto:Morton.Gary@epamail.epa.gov>> wrote:
Good Morning Wilkin,

I have a proposal to send lab pack wastes to: Clean Harbors El Dorado Incineration Facility; El Dorado, Arkansas. Could you provide the acceptability of the facility?

From: Paul Mazurkiewicz [mailto:Paul.Mazurkiewicz@obg.com]

Sent: Monday, March 04, 2013 9:19 AM

To: Morton, Gary Cc: Shannon, Wilkin

Subject: Re: facility approval

Is this facility approved?

Sent from my iPhone

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Thank you.

Gary Morton

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From: Gary Morton/R3/USEPA/US

To: Wilkin Shannon/R6/USEPh/US@MSO365 Date: 02/20/2013 11:10 AM Subject: Fw: facility approval
Forwarded by Gary Morton/R3/USEPA/US on 02/20/2013 11:09 AM
From: Paul Mazurkiewicz < Paul.Mazurkiewicz@obg.com < mailto:Paul.Mazurkiewicz@obg.com >> To: Gary Morton/R3/USEPA/US@EPA Date: 02/05/2013 11:24 AM Subject: FW: facility approval
this was the other facility we discussed
From: Paul Mazurkiewicz Sent: Thursday, January 31, 2013 8:37 AM To: Morton.Gary@epamail.epa.gov <mailto:morton.gary@epamail.epa.gov> Subject: facility approval</mailto:morton.gary@epamail.epa.gov>
gary:
we are proposing to send some lab pack wastes to: Clean Harbors El Dorado Incineration Facility; El Dorado, Arkansas
please let us know if this facility is acceptable
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From: Civins, Jeff [Jeff.Civins@haynesboone.com]

Sent: Friday, February 22, 2013 10;49 AM

To: Bull, Jonathan Cc: McKinney, Carie G.

Subject: CHEL

Jon,

In our call on February 8, 2013, we agreed to provide you follow-up information regarding CHEL's carbon canister SOP forms and to identify certain tanks that CHEL monitored daily, as well as to provide the calculations that CHEL had used to establish its monitoring schedule. In my February 14th email, I provided the revised SOP and identity of tanks and explained that CHEL needed to speak with the consultant who assisted them with the monitoring schedule and that we would respond regarding that information on February 22nd. I also noted that CHEL had switched to daily monitoring of all tanks, to eliminate uncertainties associated with monitoring frequency determinations. Since then, CHEL has had the opportunity to speak with its consultant. Here's what we've been able to determine.

Prior to the June 2009 inspection, CHEL monitored all of the carbon canisters weekly based on the requirements of the RCRA permit issued in 2008. The RCRA permit allowed monitoring of some tanks every 2 weeks, but CHEL chose to monitor all of the tanks weekly. This schedule was specified in the application for the 2008 permit renewal. CHEL and its consultant have reviewed their files and have not been able to find the calculations or data on which this monitoring schedule was based. CHEL suspects that the monitoring schedule was developed sometime in the early 1990s when the regulations first went into effect and prior to 2006 when Clean Harbors became owner of the company. The established monitoring schedule was carried over into the 2008 permit renewal application.

During the May and June of 2009 EPA inspection, the inspector noted a concern with the frequency of monitoring of the carbon canisters for Tank 15 and that "the facility needs to review their carbon monitoring frequency." CHEL began daily monitoring of the carbon canisters for Tank 15 at that time. In September 2009, CHEL reviewed the data regarding Tank 15 and determined the failures were caused by faulty valves and regulators on the nitrogen blanketing system. It modified piping to correct the mechanical failure. After the canisters passed daily monitoring for 30 days in a row, CHEL returned to weekly monitoring.

In November 2009, canisters associated with Tanks 12 and 15 failed 3 weeks in a row and CHEL put them on daily monitoring. As with Tank 15, CHEL monitored these canisters daily until they passed 30 days in a row and then resumed weekly monitoring. CHEL implemented this procedure for all of its carbon monitoring, that is, if the canisters for a tank failed 3 weeks in a row, CHEL would monitor daily until they passed 30 days in a row and then would return to weekly monitoring.

In November 2009, the inspector also requested more information on the procedures for carbon canister monitoring. CHEL responded by providing the RCRA permit requirements and explained that it kept records of pass or fail for each tank, but did not record the actual concentration measurements for each carbon canister. The inspector instructed CHEL to create a document to help track the pass and fail determinations. CHEL instituted record keeping procedures in accordance with these instructions.

In November 2011, EPA conducted another inspection of the facility and noted that the carbon canister monitoring spreadsheets showed some canisters failing more frequently than others. The inspector requested and received additional information on Tanks 12, 15, and 604. In response to the inspector's comments, CHEL immediately began monitoring these 3 tanks daily and did not return to weekly monitoring until they had passed 30 days in a row.

As noted, on February 8, 2013, in response to EPA's comments, CHEL immediately began daily monitoring of the canisters associated with the identified tanks. On February 14, 2013, following our call, CHEL began daily monitoring of

the canisters of all tanks. CHEL will continue daily monitoring until enough data is collected to run a statistical analysis of the carbon breakthrough frequency and revise the monitoring procedures accordingly.

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We'd be happy to answer any further questions you might have.

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As to the form, attached is CHEL's SOP that includes the revised inspection form that conforms to the text's provision for changeouts within 24 hours of detected breakthroughs. We also agreed to identify the tanks that CHEL was monitoring daily. Those tanks were numbers 608, 013, 602, 605, 015, 012, and 604. CHEL began daily testing of those tanks on Friday following our call. After further discussions, CHEL decided to eliminate the uncertainty associated with monitoring frequency determinations and to switch to daily monitoring of all tanks with carbon canisters. The attached SOP reflects that revision.

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To: Bull, Jonathan McKinney, Carie G.

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Attachments: Monitoring and Maintaining Carbon Canister SOP.PDF

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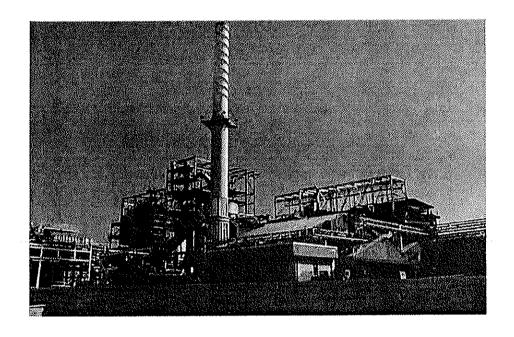
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Fugitive Emissions at Tank Farms Work Instructions
Standard Operating Procedure
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1.0 Objective

To establish the performance standard for testing and changing out of carbon canisters on volatile organic storage vessels which fall under 40 CFR Part 60, Subpart Kb as well as RCRA 40 CFR Part 264 Subpart CC.

2.0 Site Specific Terms

Carbon canisters are used for filtering tanks emissions, tanks are used for fuel blending for Waste Fire Boiler, Kilns, and SCC

3.0 Responsibilities

The General Manager will ensure that all employees are trained and knowledgeable regarding the proper operating procedures.

The Maintenance Manager is responsible for monitoring, and enforcing this procedure with the employees.

Employees are responsible for following and adhering to safe work practices and all provisions found in this procedure.

4.0 Prerequisites

Health and Safety:

- 1) See Appendices, Review the Job Hazard Analysis, PPE Hazard Assessments
- 2) LOTO, confined space entry, line break and hot work procedure training

5.0 Procedure

5.1 Fugitive Emission Monitor

- a) Calibrate test equipment (as prescribed by the manufacturer) each time before making checks and rechecks.
- b) Perform weekly inspections of mechanical seals on pumps.
- c) Monitor all of the tank farms (Day Feed Tanks, Lower Tanks Farms, and Solvent Recovery Tanks) carbon filters once daily.
- d) Identify leak points and create a corrective work order, follow up on repairs by retesting for compliance within the 24-hour timeframe required under the regulations.

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e) Update log of process equipment database of completed checks, record new or retested check points. Send results to Compliance Department via email.

5.2 Maintaining failed Carbon Canisters

- a) Obtain new carbon from central using work order (copy is attached).
- b) Follow the PPE Procedure.
- c) Remove lid ring and lid from carbon canister to access used / spent carbon.
- d) Empty out all used / spent carbon from canister by using a metal bucket (5-gal) and put in an empty (55-gal fiber), if spent carbon contains liquid insure empty fiber is lined with plastic to prevent any possible leakage.
- e) After emptying the canister of all carbon ensure there is no liquid in bottom of canister, if there is any liquid found in the canister contact the operator and or supervisor, if no liquid is found proceed with putting new carbon in canister.
- f) Open new drum of carbon, empty new carbon in to canister by using a bucket (5-gal) or approved method by supervisor (boom lift), only one drum of carbon per canister.
- g) After emptying new carbon into canister, re-install the canister lid and ring, ensuring lid ring is tight to prevent any leaks.
- h) Clean all carbon from outside canister and/or ground that may have spilled from the carbon change. Confirm Grounding cables are properly connected.
- i) Notify supervisor when earbon change is complete and turn in work order completed.
- j) Notify fugitive emission monitor of completion.
 - a. Re test carbon and if all canisters pass-record time, date, and submit per work order and ECAO form (F104-174 Rev 1).
 - b. Re test carbon and if canister FAILS:
 - i. Tank is removed from FILL service.
 - ii. Communication with operations is made that the contents of the vessel is to be processed (incinerated) as a priority.

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- iii. All efforts will be made to define causes of failure (gassing) and corrections put into place before vessel is returned to (filling) service.
- iv. Once the Tank is re initiated into service testing of carbon will be performed immediately and monitored appropriately (daily).
- k) All removed spent carbon canisters will be incinerated.

6.0 Consequences of Deviations

- Personal injury
- Regulatory violations and/or fines
- Damaged agency relations
- Adverse harm to the environment and increased risk to human health
- Disciplinary actions up to and including termination
- Possible down time / loss of production

7.0 Appendices

Emissions Corrective Action Order Form (F104-174 Rev 1)
Sample tracking and work order forms
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EMISSIONS CORRECTIVE ACTION ORDER

DATE		ECAO NUMBER
ISSUED TO		WORK ORDER
CORRECTIVE ACTION REQUESTION Change Charcoal		
EQUIPMENT NUMBER	**2	
POINT NUMBER	•••	
TAG NUMBER	••	
PRIORITY CODE	1	
COMPLIANCE TIME	23 hours and 59 mir	nute
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Date: 01/24/2013 10:41 AM Subject: Clean Harbors El Dorado

Jon,

Thanks for getting back to me so quickly. As I mentioned, this matter is one of the utmost concern to Clean Harbors. As promised, below is an email chain that was forwarded to me by Phil Retallick that provides some background.

As I mentioned, I briefly spoke with Wilkin Shannon, who is in the email chain, to obtain the facts. He indicated his management his considering issuing an immediate unacceptability determination for egregious violations. He was aware that brine manufacturing had been shut down, but said there were other violations. As we discussed, I am at a loss to understand the legal basis for any such action, particularly in light of the facts that we are still in the process of developing factual information to determine if in fact any violations have occurred and that, even if any violations occurred, they are not ongoing.

The pertinent statutory provision is section 121(d)(3) of CERCLA that states that hazardous substances from CERCLA remediations only be transferred to a facility which <u>is</u> operating in compliance with sections 3004 and 3005 of RCRA. As I mentioned, the pertinent rule is 40 CFR 300.440, which contains detailed provisions regarding how this proscription is to be implemented, including provisions for procedural due process. The pertinent provision is 40 CFR 300.440(d), entitled "Determination of Unacceptability." Under this rule, a Region may determine that a facility being considered for the offsite transfer of CERCLA waste does not meet the acceptability criteria of section 300.440(b), which, among other things, explains that a facility will be deemed in compliance "if there are no relevant violations at or affecting the unit ...receiving CERCLA waste..." The rule then goes on to explain what violations are relevant, including those relating to releases of hazardous constituents. Like the statutory provision it implements, this language speaks in the present tense; it also applies not to all violations, but only to those that are "relevant." Section 300.440(d) generally requires that, before the proscription goes into effect, the agency have given 60 calendar days' notice and the opportunity to confer and respond before your authority to accept CERCLA wastes may be revoked. Section 300.440(e) addresses situations where the matter is being contested; it provides:

"Unacceptability during administrative and judicial challenges of corrective action decisions. For a facility with releases that are subject to a corrective action permit, order, or decree, an administrative or judicial challenge to the corrective action (or a challenge to

a permit modification calling for additional corrective action) shall not be considered to be part of a corrective action "program" controlling those releases and shall not act to stay a determination of unacceptability under this rule. However, such facility may remain acceptable to receive CERCLA waste during the pendency of the appeal or litigation if: (1) It satisfies the EPA Regional Office that adequate interim corrective action measures will continue at the facility; or (2) It demonstrates to the EPA Regional Office the absence of a need to take corrective action during the short-term, interim period. Either demonstration may be made during the 60-day review period in the context of the informal conference and RA reconsideration."

As to immediate implementation of the proscription, the pertinent provision is 40 CFR 300.440(d)(9), which provides:

"The EPA Regional Office may decide that a facility's unacceptability is immediately effective (or effective in less than 60 days) in extraordinary situations such as, but not limited to, emergencies at the facility or egregious violations. The EPA Region shall notify the facility owner/operator of the date of unacceptability, and may modify timeframes for comments and other procedures accordingly."

In our case, as noted, the alleged violations are being contested and no notice of violation has yet been issued. Moreover, the violations, even were they to have occurred, certainly do not appear to be egregious and in any event are not ongoing. It is questionable too whether they are the types of violations that would justify implementation of the proscription.

We very much appreciate your investigating this matter for us. As I mentioned, this matter is of the utmost concern to the company and we request the opportunity to discuss it with the highest level of management at the region in the event we are unable to resolve it.

Hook forward to hearing from you. Thanks again.

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From: Wilkin Shannon/R6/USEPA/US

To: Region2 OSR@EPA

Cc: Beckett Grealish/R2/USEPA/US@EPA, John Osolin/R2/USEPA/US@EPA

Date: 01/23/2013 02:38 PM

Subject: Re: Fw: OSR Request Form

Hello Beckett, right now Clean Harbors El Dorado, AR has permit and compliance issues that we are using to give them an unacceptability determination.

Wilkin Ronald Shannon Hazardous Waste Enforcement Branch Compliance Assurance & Enforcement Division U.S. EPA Region 6 (214) 665-2282 - voice (214) 665-7264 - fax

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From: Region 2 OSR

To: Wilkin Shannon/R6/USEPA/US@EPA

Date: 01/16/2013 03:39 PM Subject: Fw: OSR Request Form

Sent by: Beckett Grealish

Hi Ron.

The OSR request (below) is still pending. Can you reference the OSR request attached below and provide/verify the acceptability status of this facility ASAP?

Thanks!

USEPA Region 2 CERCLA Off-Site Rule requests

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Region2 OSR From:

To: Wilkin Shannon/R6/USEPA/US@EPA

Date: Subject:

01/07/2013 10:29 AM Fw: OSR Request Form

Sent by: Beckett Grealish

Hi Ron.

Can you reference the OSR request attached below and provide/verify the acceptability status of this facility?

Thanks!

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From: Jo

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Cc: Rich Puvogel/R2/USEPA/US@EPA, "Dean Hall"

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Date: 01/07/2013 08:36 AM Subject: Fw: OSR Request Fo

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Attached please find the OSR Request form for the Clean Harbors incinerator in Arkansas. We hope to send material from the Evor Phillips Site in Old Bridge, NJ. Any questions feel free to contact me.

John Osolin, Remedial Project Manager Emergency & Remedial Response Division Environmental Protection Agency Region 2 290 Broadway New York, NY 10007-1866

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---- Forwarded by John Osolin/R2/USEPA/US on 01/07/2013 08:33 AM -----

From: "Dean Hall"

To: John Osolin/R2/USEPA/US@EPA

Date:

01/04/2013 03:54 PM

Subject:

OSR Request Form

Hi John,

Attached please find the OSR Request form for the Clean Harbors incinerator in Arkansas. Any questions feel free to contact me.

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Shoemaker, Kathleen to: Roxanne King

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01/19/2012 02:51 PM

"KUHN, JOHN SCOTT", "Hines, Ronald Keith" Cc: PHILLIP G"

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Roxanne,

I apologize that with the holidays many employees were on vacation and I was delayed at getting you this information.

Per your request and in accordance to the operational plan presented to the ADEQ, I am attaching the analytical data that we routinely run on the El Dorado facilities Brine Product. The elevated TOC readings are confirmed interferences from dissolved carbon dioxide in the sample. Carbon dioxide is a desired byproduct of our process and it is expected to be found in the samples. Also the high concentration of salts in the samples can be causing interferences with the TOC analytical method. In order to confirm that the TOC readings were false, due to interferences, we had our brine samples screened by GC using the same method as our incineration ash verifying destruction of hazardous organic constituents. The GC scans showed no measurable organics with chlorobenzene, ethylbenzene, methyl isobutyl ketone, toluene, trichloroethylene, and xylene, all below the detection limits of the method.

This Brine Product is sold to the oil and gas industry, for use in production well drilling and well development activities, primarily in Arkansas and Louisiana. Since we are manufacturing a product used in commerce and its not discarded commercial product, the RCRA Generator Waste Identification Rules are not applicable to our product.

The filter cake which we send to Clean Harbors' Lone Mountain facility as RCRA Hazardous waste is profiled using generator knowledge so analytical is not required under our WAP guidelines. Further, Lone Mountain's permit does not require analytical from Clean Harbors' permitted TSDF's and uses our generator knowledge to profile the waste. In the case of our brine filter cake, the attached profile identifies all RCRA waste codes associated with the filter cake. Our Lone Mountain Facility uses that information to appropriately manage the filter cake under its Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality Landfill Permit

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November 2011

Batch Analytical With GC Scans and Verification

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Lab #:	5716		
Sample ID & Date:	Brine	Waler	11-2-11
Analyst:	10.W		

Test	Results	Units	Plan Specifications	Customer Specifications	Outside Parameter
Sp. Gravity	1.445		1.39-1.41 @ 70F	1.39 or higher	
рН	7,49		6.0-8.0	7.0-9.0	
Sulfide	ND	PPM	10 ppm max		
тос	121.4	PPM	50 ppm max		
Carbonate	33	PPM	500 ppm max		
Turbidity	469	NTU	50 NTU max		V
Alkall Chlorides	25%	%		5% max	
MgGl2	47.32	ppm	1,5% max	1.5% max	
Barlum (Ba)	41.26	PPM	200 ppm max		
Iron (Fe)	1067	PPM	10 ppm max	15ppm max	
Lead (Pb)	0.045	PPM	10 ppm max		
Magneslum (Mg)	47.32	PPM		·	
Sodium (Na)	2493	PPM			
Potassium (K)	14410	РРМ		The second secon	
Total Mg, Na, K	1.69	%	2.5% max		

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Analyst:		6	3	
Method: EPA: SW HP-6890 Gas Chron		15B, 8021	В	
Standard	Results	UOM	MDL	% Recovery
Trichloroethylene	BMOL	ppm	0.257	101.4
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Toluene	BMAC	gþm	0.358	98
Chlorobenzene	BMOL	ggm	0.204	96.3
Ethylbenzene	BMDL	ppm	0.156	106.3
m_p xylene	BMDL	ppm	0.225	99.9
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Sp. Gravity	1.41		1.39-1.41 @ 70F	1.39 or higher	
рН	5.5		6,0-8.0	7.0-9.0	V
Suffide	W	РРМ	10 ppm max		
тос	154	PPM	50 ppm max		
Carbonate	73	PPM	500 ppm max		
Turbidity	206	NTU	50 NTU max		V
Alkali Chlorides	25%	. %	No. of the state o	5% max	
MgCl2	54.58	ppm	1.5% max	1.5% max	
Barlum (Ba)	43.25	РРМ	200 ppm max		
Iron (Fe)	0.007	PPM	10 ppm max	15ppm max	
Lead (Pb)	13.49	РРМ	10 ppm max		v
Magneslum (Mg)	54.58	PPM			
Sodium (Na)	2531	PPM			
Potassium (K)	13850	РРМ			
Total Mg, Na, K	1.64	%	2.5% max		

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Analyst:	10.W	/	

Test	Results	Units	Plan Specifications	Customer Specifications	Outside Parameter
Sp. Gravity	1.46		1.39-1.41 @ 70F	1.39 or higher	
рН	6.44		6.0-8.0	7.0-9.0	
Sulfide	ND	PPM	10 ppm max		
тос	98.4	РРМ	50 ppm max	,	L
Carbonate.	67.65	PPM	500 ppm max		
Turbidity	240	UTU	50 NTU max		w
Alkali Ghlorides	45%	%		5% max	
MgCl2	53.75	ppm	1.5% max	1,5% max	
Barlum (Ba)	37-79	РРМ	200 ppm max		
Iron (Fe)	0.007	РРМ	10 ppm max	15ppm max	
Lead (Pb)	0.045	PPM	10 ppm max		
Magnesium (Mg)	53.7	РРМ			
Sodium (Na)	2264	РРМ			
Potassium (K)	14 000	РРМ			
Total Mg, Na, K	1.63	. %	2.5% max		

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Supervisor Signature: Heasa Evans

Lab name: Clean Harbors Lab Analysis date: 01/10/2012 12:50:27 Method: Syringe Injection *Description: Channel 2

Column: RESTEK 15METER MXT-1

Carrier: HELIUM AT 5 PSI

Data file: 5127 BRINE GB03. (C:\Users\chemist\Desktop\Peak393-32 Folder\JANUARY 2012\01-10-12)

Sample: RUN1

Temperature program:

 Init temp
 Hold
 Ramp
 Final temp

 35.00
 5.000
 20.000
 200.00

 200.00
 50.000
 250.00

Events:

Time Event

carbon disulfide

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1,210

1,273

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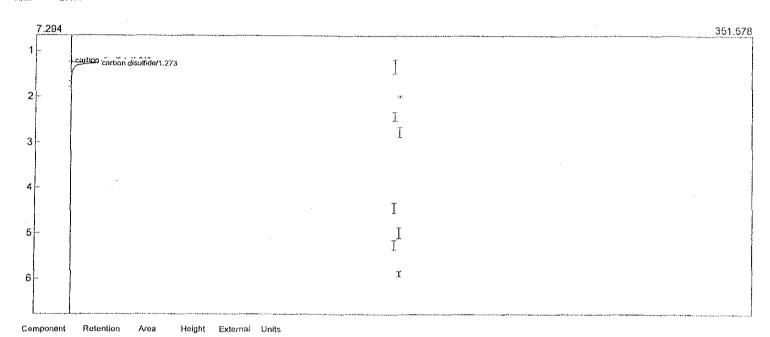
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Standard	Results	UOM	MDL	% Recovery
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WER	BMDL	pom	0.269	36.3
<u>Faluene</u>	BMN	po m	0.368	98
Enlorobe ozene	BMOL	pom	0.204	96.3
Enylbenzene	BMDC	ee in	2.130	106.3
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Lab name: Clean Harbors Lab Analysis date: 01/10/2012 12:28:23 Method: Syringe Injection Description: Channel 2

Column: RESTEK 15METER MXT-1 Carrier: HELIUM AT 5 PSI

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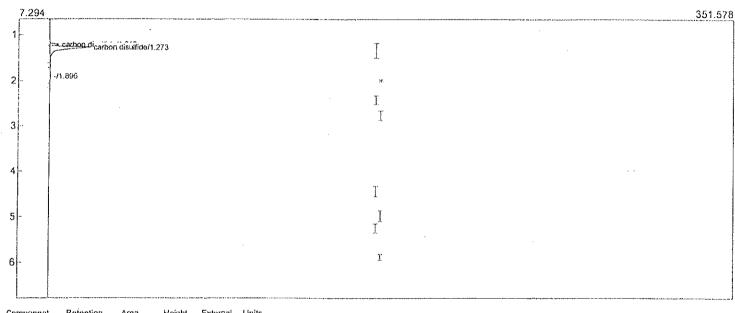
Sample: RUN1

Temperature program:

Init temp 35.00 200.00 Hold 5.000 0.000 Ramp 20,000 50,000 Final temp 200.00 250.00

Events:

Time



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carbon disulfide	1.213	11.0865	4,253	0,0000	
carbon disulfide	1.273	76.1799	19.267	0,0000	
		87,2664		0.0000	

Analysis Date	B: 12-10-11	
Lab#:	5798	
Sample ID &	Date: Brine Ho Batch;	2 11-6-11
Analyst:	DW	

Test	Results	Units	Plan Specifications	Customer Specifications	Outside Parameter
Sp. Gravity	1.455		1.39-1.41 @ 70F	1.39 or higher	
pH	7.34		6.0-8.0	7.0-9.0	
Suffide	ND	PPM	10 ppm max		
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Carbonate	\(\int\)	PPM	500 ppm max		
Turbidity	320	NTU	50 NTU max		<i>i</i> -
Aikali Chlorides	15%	%		5% max	
MgCl2	81.93	ppm	1.5% max	1.5% max	
Barium (Ba)	25.76	РРМ	200 ppm max		
Iron (Fe)	,007	РРМ	10 ppm max	15ppm max	
Lead (Pb)	0.045	PPM	10 ppm max		
Magnesium (Mg)	81.9	PPM			
Sodium (Na)	2386	PPM			
Potassium (K)	13990	РРМ			
Total Mg, Na, K	1.64	%	2.5% max	_	

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Lab name: Clean Harbors Lab Analysis date: 01/11/2012 12:49:44 Method: Syringe Injection

Description: Channel 2

Column: RESTEK 15METER MXT-1
Carrier: HELIUM AT 5 PSI

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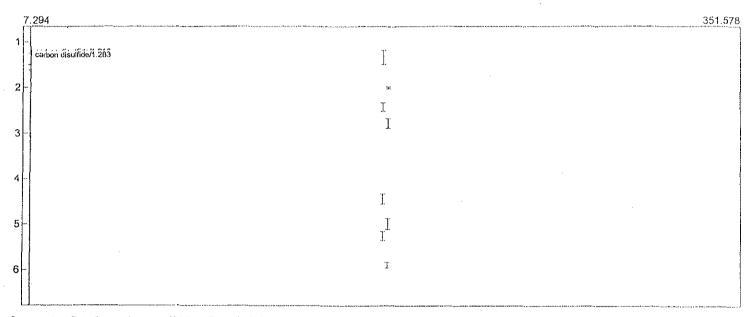
Sample: RUN1

Temperature program:

Final temp 200.00 250.00 Ramp 20,000 50,000 Init temp Hold 35.00 200.00 5.000 0.000

Events:

Time



Component	Retention	Агеа	Height	External	Unit
carbon disulfide	1.216	2.5752	0.543	0.0000	
carbon disultide	1,283	2.4179	0.532	0,0000	
		4,9931		0.0000	

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Standard	Results	MOU	MDL	% Recovery
Triebiorochwiene	BMOL	ppm	0,257	101.4
MRSK	BMOL		0.869	96.3
Talvene	BMN	28363	0.888	98
£kloroben≇ene	BMOL	<u>jeém</u>	0.208	96.3
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Column: RESTEK 15METER MXT-1

Carrier: HELIUM AT 5 PSI

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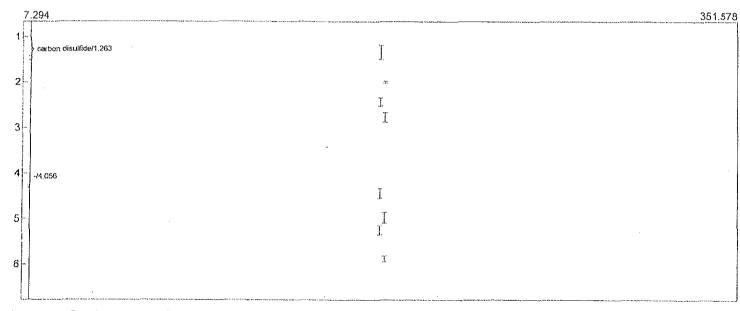
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Werk .	BMOL	2017)	0.868	96.3
Sluene	BMN	pom	0.386	98
hiotobeoxene	BMOL	ge m	0.204	96.3
MANDERVANE	BMDC	oen	0.150	106.3
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Test	Results	Units	Plan Specifications	Customer Specifications	Outside Parameter
Sp. Gravity	1.47		1.39-1.41 @ 70F	1.39 or higher	
рН	6.79		6.0-8.0	7.0-9.0	
Sulfide	ND	РРМ	10 ppm max		
тос	144	PPM	50 ppm max		2
Carbonate	NI	PPM	500 ppm max	SALAMBANINALAN PERMUTAN ALAM IN MEMBER 8 100 WILLIAM PROBABLIS	
Turbidity	455	NTU	50 NTU max		~
Alkali Chlorides	15%	%		5% max	
MgCl2	165.5	ppm	1.5% max	1.5% max	
Barlum (Ba)	24.75	PPM	200 ppm max		
Iron (Fe)	1007	PPM	10 ppm max	15ppm max	
Lead (Pb)	0.045	PPM	10 ppm max		
Magnesium (Mg)	165.5	РРМ			
Sodlum (Na)	2193	PPM			
Potasslum (K)	13210	PPM			
Total Mg, Na, K	1.55	%	2.5% max		

Sample Description & Comments:				

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Analysis Date:	12	-10-1	(/	
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Method: EPA: SW HP-6880 Gas Chron		15B, 8021	3	
Standard	Results	UOM	MOL	% Recovery
Prienjere ethy jene	BMOL	pem	0,257	101.4
ANSK	BMOL	pom	0.869	96.3
alucijo	BMDL	Den .	0.308	98
Notopeoxene	BMOL	ppm	0.20%	96.3
Thylpenature	BMDL	pen	2:130	106.3
n_ap_xydeme	BMDL	ppin	0.28%	99,9
maylene	BMDL	1919m	0.861	109.5
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Analysis Date:	12-10			
Lab #:	519	7		
Sample ID & Date:	Brine	Wyder	BAtch 1	11-6-11
Analyst:	D.W			

Test	Results	Units	Plan Specifications	Customer Specifications	Outside Parameter
Sp. Gravity	1.45		1.39-1.41 @ 70F	1.39 or higher	
pH	7.31		6.0-8.0	7:0-9.0	
Sulfide	ND	PPM	10 ppm max		
тос	112.2	PPM	50 ppm max		V
Carbonate	4500	PPM	500 ppm max		
Turbidity	421	NTU	50 NTU max		V
Alkall Chlorides	25%	%		5% max	
MgGI2	86.46	ppm	1.5% max	1,5% max	
Barlum (Ba)	25.9	PPM	200 ppm max		
iron (Fe)	0.007	РРМ	10 ppm max	15ppm max	
Lead (Pb)	0.045	PPM	10 ppm max		
Magnesium (Mg)	86.5	PPM			
Sodium (Na)	2251	РРМ			
Potassium (K)	13,300	РРМ			
Total Mg, Na, K	1.56	%	2.5% max	The second secon	

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Analysis Date:	12	-10-		·
Lab #:	521	5		
Sample ID & Date) B1-	11-7-11
Analyst:	G	3		
Method: EPA: SW- HP-6890 Gas Chron		15B, 8021	В	
Standard	Results	UOM	MDL	% Recovery
richloroethylene	BMOL	meg	0.257	101.4
NEK	BMOL.	ngg.	0,369	96.3
oluene	BMNI	pom	0.358	98
hlorobenzene	BMOL	ppm	0.204	96.3
anylbenzene	BMDL	gem	0.150	106,3
ı_p xylene	BMDL	ppm	0.225	99,9
÷xylene	BMDC	ppm	0.231	109.3
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Lab name: Clean Harbors Lab A lalysis date: 01/11/2012 08:48:25 Method: Syringe Injection

Description: Channel 2
Column: RESTEK 15METER MXT-1

Carrier: HELIUM AT 5 PSI

Data file: 5215 BRINE GB04.CHR (C:\Users\chemist\Desktop\Peak393-32 Folder\JANUARY 2012\01-11-12)

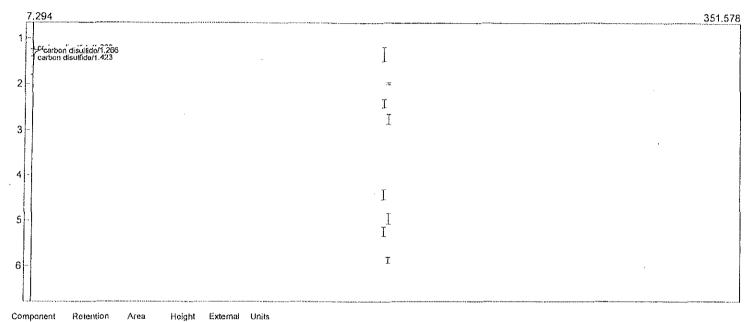
Sample: RUN1

Temperature program:

Ramp 20,000 50,000 Init temp Hold Final temp 35.00 200.00 5.000 0.000 200.00 250.00

Events:

Time Event



Component	Retention	Area	Height	External	L
carbon disulfide	1,206	1,3449	0.441	0.0000	
carbon disulfide	1,266	11.5589	3,239	0,0000	
carbon disulfide	1.423	3,8148	0.478	0.0000	
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Lab#:	5214	5		
Sample ID & Date:	Baine	H20	BI.	11-7-11
Analyst:	DW			

Test	Results	Units	Plan Specifications	Customer Specifications	Outside Parameter
Sp. Gravity	1.45		1.39-1.41 @ 70F	1.39 or higher	
рН	6.65		6:0-8.0	7.0-9.0	
Suffide	んシ	РРМ	10 ppm max		
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Carbonate	150D	PPM	500 ppm max		
Turbidity	337	NTU	50 NTU max		V
Alkall Chlorides	25	%		5% max	
MgCl2	181.5	₌ppm	1.5% max	1.5% max	
Barlum (Ba)	28.44	РРМ	200 ppm max		
Iron (Fe)	,007	РРМ	10 ppm max	15ppm max	
Lead (Pb)	0.045	PPM	10 ppm max		
Magnesium (Mg)	181.5	РРМ			
Sodium (Na)	2353	РРМ			
Potassium (K)	14290	РРМ			
Total Mg, Na, K	1.68	%	2.5% max		

Sample Description & Comments:			
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Lab name: Clean Harbors Lab Analyşis date: 01/11/2012 08:12:13 Method: Syringe Injection
Description: Channel 2
Column: RESTEK 15METER MXT-1

Carrier: HELIUM AT 5 PSI
Data file: 5214 BRINE GB03.CHR (C:\Users\chemist\Desktop\Peak393-32 Folder\JANUARY 2012\01-11-12)

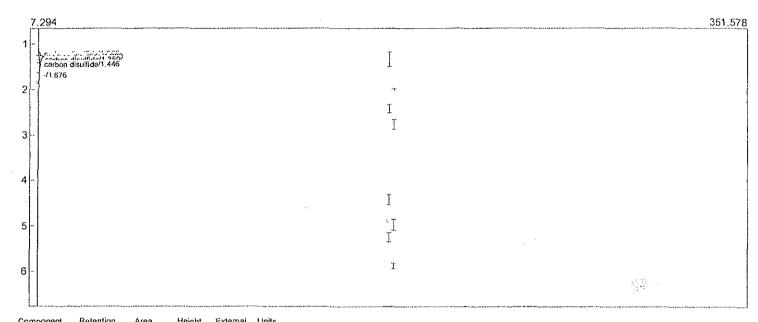
Sample: RUN1

Temperature program:

Ramp 20.000 50.000 Hold Final temp init temp 35.00 200.00 200.00 250.00 5.000 0.000

Events:

Time Event



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carbon disulfide	1.220	2.7588	0,770	0.0000	
carbon disulfide	1.280	7,5436	2.290	0.0000	
carbon disultide	1.350	2.7770	0,844	0.0000	
carbon disulfide	1.446	3,5950	0.562	0.0000	
		16.6744		0,000	

Analysis Date:	12-	10-1						
Lab #:		5/16	>					
Sample ID & Date	:Porlin	Wat	W 11	1-2-11				
Analyst:		GR)					
Method: EPA: SW-HP-6890 Gas Chrom		15B, 8021	В					
Standard	Results	UOM	MDL	% Recovery				
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Trichloroethylene	BMUL	ppm	0,257	101.4				
WIBK	BMDL.	ppm	0,369	96.3				
Toluene	BMN	ppm	0.353	98				
Chlorobenzene	BMOL	gem	0.204	96.3				
Ethylbenzene	BMDL	ppm	0.156	106.3				
m_p_xylene	BMDL	ppm	0.225	99.9				
o-xylene	BUNG	ppm	0,231	109.3				
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Sample Description & Comments:								
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Lab name: Clean Harbors Lab Analysis date: 01/10/2012 11:58:38 Method: Syringe Injection

- Description: Channel 2

Column: RESTEK 15METER MXT-1
Carrier: HELIUM AT 5 PSI
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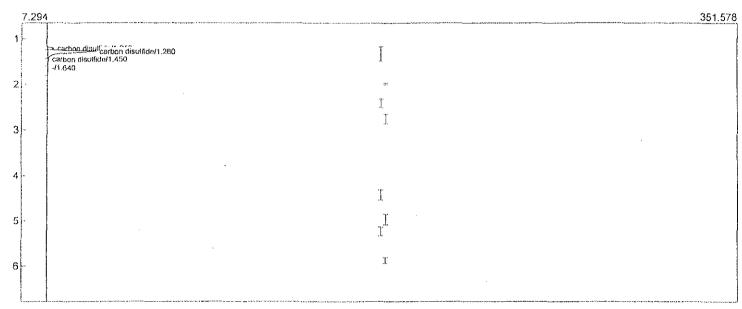
Sample: RUN1

Temperature program:

Final temp 200.00 250.00 Init temp 35,00 200.00 Ramp 20,000 50,000 Hold 5,000 0.000

Events:

Event Time



Component	Retention	Area	Height	External	Unit
carbon disulfide	1,213	7.8396	3,136	0.0000	
carbon disulfide	1,280	83.4512	23,433	0.0000	
carbon disulfide	1,450	2.7886	0,561	0.0000	
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Analysis Date:	12	-14-1	01	
Lab #:	25874	4		
Sample ID & Date:	Brine		11	-13-11
Analyst:		GB		·
Method: EPA: SW-8 HP-6890 Gas Chroma		5B, 8021	IB	
Standard	Results	иом	MDL	% Recovery
Trichloroethylene	BMOL	ppm	0.257	101.4
мівк	BMOL.	ppm	0.359	96.3
Toluene	BMN	ppm	0.358	98
Chlorobenzene	BMOL	ppm	0.204	96.3
Ethylbenzene	BMDL	gem	0.156	106.3
m_p xylene	BMDL	ppm	0:225	99,9
o-xylene	BMDL	ppm	0,231	109.3
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Analysis Date	: 12-14-1	/ [
Lab #:	5814		
Sample ID & I	Date: Brine	B1	11-13-11
Analyst:	DW		

Test	Results	Units	Plan Specifications	Customer Specifications	Outside Parameter
Sp. Gravity	1.38		1.39-1.41 @ 70F	1.39 or higher	ı
рН	8.23		6.0-8.0	7.0-9.0	
Sulfide	ND	PPM	10 ppm max		
тос	84.25	PPM	50 ppm max		v
Carbonate	4500	РРМ	500 ppm max		
Turbidity	>800	NTU	50 NTU max		r
Alkali Chlorides	45	%		5% max	
MgCl2	30.90	ppm	1.5% max	1,5% max	
Barlum (Ba)	27.92	PPM	200 ppm max		
Iron (Fe)	. 007	PPM	10 ppm max	15ppm max	
Lead (Pb)	0.83	PPM	10 ppm max		,
Magnesium (Mg)	30.9	РРМ			
Sodium (Na)	8805	PPM			
Potassium (K)	12560	PPM			
Total Mg, Na, K	2.13	%	2.5% max	THE RESIDENCE OF THE PARTY OF T	

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Supervisor Signature: Juliana Earns

Analysis Date: 2-14-11									
Lab #:	581	5	7						
Sample ID & Date	: 13472 B	2	BRINE	11-(3-11					
Analyst:	6	15_							
Method: EPA: SW-846; 8010, 8015B, 8021B HP-6890 Gas Chromatograph									
Standard	Results	UOM	MDL	% Recovery					
Trichloroethylene	BMOL	melg	0,257	101.4					
MIBK	BMDL	pom	0,369	96.3					
Toluene	BMN	ppm	0.356	98					
Chlorobenzene	BMOL	ррт	0.204	96.3					
Ethylbenzene	BMDL	pgm	Q.1 5 6	106.3					
m∡p <u>xylene</u>	BMDL	ppm	0.225	99,9					
o-xylene	BMDC.	ppm	0,231	109.3					
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Lab name: Clean Harbors Lab Analysis date: 01/11/2012 09:39:11 Method: Syringe Injection
Description: Channel 2
Column: RESTEK 15METER MXT-1

Carrier: HELIUM AT 5 PSI

Data file: 5815 BRINE GB06.CHR (C:\Users\chemist\Desktop\Peak393-32 Folder\JANUARY 2012\01-11-12)

Temperature program:

Hold Init temp Ramp Final temp 35.00 200.00 5.000 20.000 200.00 0.000 50,000 250.00

Events:

Time Event

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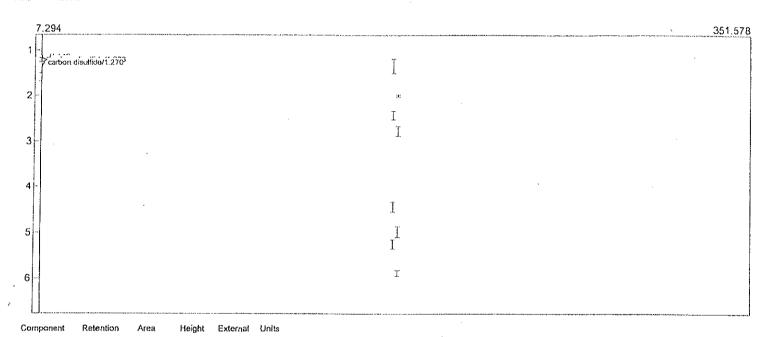
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Lab name: Clean Harbors Lab Anatysis date: 01/11/2012 09:10:21 Method: Syringe Injection Description: Channel 2

Column: RESTEK 15METER MXT-1 Carrier: HELIUM AT 5 PSI

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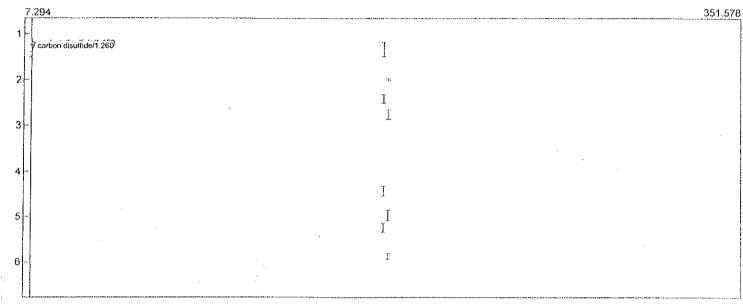
Sample: RUN1

Temperature program:

Hold 5.000 0.000 Ramp 20.000 50.000 Final temp 200.00 250.00 Init temp 35,00 200,00

Events:

Time



Component	Retention	Area	Height	External	Units
carbon disulfide carbon disulfide	1.193 1.260	5.4521 4.9084	1.923 1.297	0.0000	
		10.3605		0.0000	